

# The Daily Courant.

Saturday, July 31. 1703

From the Harlem Courant, dated August 7.

Vienna, July 25.

**P** Rince Lewis of Baden sent hither a Project he has contriv'd for the further Operations of the Campaign, which being approv'd by the Emperor, the Courier was sent back again with it on the 19th, and we expect shortly to hear that his Highness has put it in Execution. The City of Ausburg has ask'd leave of the Emperor to stand Neuter, but he will not grant it.

From the Army of the Imperialists commanded by the Prince of Baden encamp'd at Haunsheim, July 27. The 2 Armies continue in their former Camps. To day a Lieutenant who advanc'd near Leypheim to get Intelligence, return'd with Advice that 5 Regiments of the Enemies Horse march'd yesterday towards Ulm, from thence to proceed higher up the Danube, to observe a Body of Troops of the Allies that is posted at Ehingen.

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St. Joun in Tyrol, July 23. The Elector of Bavaria march'd on the 20th from Inspruck towards Mattem, with design to force a Passage that Way, but in his March he found himself surrounded with so great a Number of Peasants, that he was oblig'd to retire into the Vale of Stubach, with part of his Troops; the rest withdrew towards Hall, and were all cut off by the Peasants: The same Peasants march'd to Rattenburg, which Castle they took in 4 Hours, made the Governour Prisoner, and used him so roughly that his Life is despair'd of. This Evening thole Peasants march'd towards Kuffstein: Mean time the Elector of Bavaria who has but 200 Men with him is in great Danger. On the 20th General Solari with 4000 Men pass'd by Villach.

Inspruck, July 24. The Elector of Bavaria being advanc'd with his Army a Day's March from this Place, receiv'd Intelligence that some Imperial Troops with 3000 Peasants of Tyrol, had possess'd themselves of the Bridge of Zirl, after having beaten the Bavarians that guarded it; that they had likewise broken down the Bridge over against Swartz, taken the Fort of Scharnitz and put a Garrison into it, and posted and intrench'd themselves at the Folckerbrugg; and also that the Town of Hall had receiv'd an Imperial Garrison of 2000 Men, in which Place was the chief Magazine of the Bavarians; The Count de Verira Governour of this City and other Bavarian General Officers were taken in Hall. The Bavarians give out that they have detected a Plot contriv'd by some body here and hereabouts to murder the Forces they left to garrison this City, and to seize by Surprise the Person of the Elector. His Electoral Highness, with part of the Troops that march'd from hence with him, return'd hither on the 22d in all haste. Yesterday the Bavarians regain'd the Pass of Zirl, killing 700 Peasants, 2 Lieutenants, and 130 of General Geschwind's Soldiers, and taking 63 Peasants; but not without considerable loss on their own side. To day Count Sanfre marching by Scharnitz with 2000 Bavarians retook that Fort. Yesterday we were mightily alarm'd

here, for several Thousand Peasants advanc'd to the Bridge of this Place, skirmish'd with the Bavarians near upon 2 Hours, and then march'd off. To day the Bavarians set Fire to several Villages and plunder'd Zirl, to influence the Peasants by such rough Treatment to lay down their Arms. P. S. The Bavarian General Count d'Arco is shot dead. The Peasants in Hall have knock'd Count Verita on the Head with their Clubs. When Halle and Scharnitz were first taken, the Bavarians garrison'd in them were all put to the Sword.

Sturgard, July 30. A certain Nobleman of Tyrol nam'd Jonelli, whose Country Seat was plunder'd and demolish'd by the Bavarians, has, to revenge himself, drawn together 800 Peasants, and has done the Bavarians a great deal of Damage. The Bavarians being in motion towards Ausburg, and several Hundreds of them being already advanc'd to Lechausen, the Burghers of Ausburg have planted Cannon on their Walls, and are making preparations to defend themselves.

From the Camp at Stollhoffen, July 30. The Courier that was sent to Holland by Major General Goor, to communicate to the States General a Letter from Prince Lewis of Baden, in which he desir'd that the Dutch Infantry encamp'd here might march and joyn his Army; is return'd with the Consent of the States to his Request; Accordingly tomorrow the 8 Battallions of Dutch, and 3 Regiments of Hessians, will march from hence to joyn the said Prince; whither Count Leyningen with 2 Regiments of Horse and Dragoons is likewise marching, and also the 3 Regiments of Dragoons of Bibra, Wurzburg, and Tekkenbach.

Amsterdam, August 6. Letters from Ulm of the 25th, and from Ausburg of the 26th of July, advise, that the Peasants of Tyrol have done the Bavarians a great deal of mischief, taken near 150 of their Officers, and sent them to Bregentz: Some Advices from Ulm say, that they have taken the Elector himself; but this needs Confirmation.

Landau, July 30. The Enemy having thought it not advisable to attempt any thing on the other side of the Rhine, on the 28th their Foot came over to this side of the River, yesterday their Horse follow'd them, and their Army is now encamp'd at Strasburg, where they are making great Preparations for laying Siege to some Place.

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Frankfort, August 2. From Lorrain and the Sarr 9 Battallions and some Cavalry are marching to joyn the Duke of Burgundy. General Thungen lyes with the Body he commands in the Lines at Buhl, and is joyn'd by the Cavalry that was at Croon Weysemburg and Landau. To day came Advice, that the French Army under the Duke of Burgundy, has pass'd the Rhine at Kehl, is joyn'd by the Troops from Lorrain, and is marching towards Haguenau, with design, 'tis suppos'd, to besiege Landau.

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Maastricht, August 4. Yesterday the Baron de Trogne arriv'd here Post from the Army, and to day continued his Journey to Liege, where they are preparing



paring Bread in expectation of our Grand Army. Orders are come hither from the said Army for Baking 74000 Loaves of Ammunition Bread, and to get the like number ready every 4 days. We have likewise begun to reëmbark our Artillery and Ammunition on the Maese.

*From the Army of the Allies commanded by the Duke of Marlborough encamp'd at Houthalen, August 6.* On the 3d we broke up from Ghierle and Beerse, and march'd to Lichtaart and Kattel. On the 4th we march'd to Moll and Balen; from whence we march'd to day to Houthalen, where our Right is encamp'd, as our Left is at Sonhoven. To night we shall lay Bridges over the Demer, and tomorrow we shall march towards Borchloen. The Enemy decamp'd from Wynegem on the 2d, and are advanc'd towards Dieft, keeping within their Lines.

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*Amsterdam, August 6.* Yesterday came an Express with Advice that 15 Dutch East-India Ships were arriv'd in sight of Land; 11 of them came from Batavia in November last, and 4 from Ceylon; they sail'd in Company from the Cape of Good Hope on the 22d of April, came North about, and on the 24th of July were met by Rear Admiral Vander Dussen with 12 Men of War, who convoy'd them home. 5 of these Ships from Batavia and 2 of those from Ceylon belong to the Chamber of Amsterdam; 2 from Batavia and 2 from Ceylon to that of Zealand: the other 4 from Batavia belong, 1 to the Chamber of Delft; 1 to that of Rotterdam; 1 to that of Hoorn; and 1 to that of Enckhuysen. The Cargo of these Ships cost 5685360 Guilders. With them is also arriv'd an English Ship, which we suppose to be the Sarah Galley richly laden from China bound for London, belonging to the New Company.

Private Letters from Holland advise, that the Burghers of Amersfoort have sent 2 of the ancient Magistrates whom they had imprison'd, and 2 Deputies of their own, to Utrecht, to make some Proposals of Accommodation to the States; Mean time besides the 2 Regiments mention'd in our former, a Regiment is marching from Zwol, another from Nimeguen, and that of Freilheim and the Guards du Corps from the Hague, to attack Amersfoort in case the Burghers persist in their Rebellion.

'Tis advis'd from Italy by the Way of France, that Monsieur de Bezons was to march on the 20th of July with 20 Battalions, 25 Squadrons of Horse and 6 of Dragoons, to endeavour to joyn the Elector of Bavaria.

From Paris of the 18th of July they write, that the Count de Tholouse was not then gone from Court for Thoulon.

From Venice of the 14th of July, That the Imperial Army under Count Saremberg has lately receiv'd Succours from the Hereditary Countries, viz. 1764 Troopers mounted, 694 Hussars, and 1500 Horses.

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